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MUST PAY DUTIES.

Uncle Sam Will Enforce the Monroe Doctrine.

But San Domingo Must Respond to Demands of European Countries for Duties.

OTHER NATIONAL ITEMS.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 28, 1904.

The United States will probably take full charge of the Republic of San Domingo in the not distant future. This step will be taken, not with a view to acquiring possession of the insolvent republic but with the purpose of establishing it on a sound financial and political footing, as was done with Cuba. This policy is the inevitable concomitant of the Monroe Doctrine on which all American Presidents in recent years have so strongly insisted. Elihu Root, ex Secretary of War, in a speech made in New York recently, illustrated the incompatibility of declaring that no European power should exercise force on this continent to collect just debts, unless this country was itself prepared to compel the payment of such debts. Investigation at the State Department, prompted by Mr. Root's declaration, and reveals the fact that the United States is now preparing to take entire charge of the ports of San Domingo, collect the customs, devote them to the payment of European and American creditors and will probably take temporary control of the political organization of the country with a view to establishing it on a basis which will render further interference by this country unnecessary. To this end two ports have already been seized, two more soon will be and the remaining two ports of entry will doubtless be taken possession of a little later, their receipts having been already pledged by the San Domingan government to its European creditors.

In this connection it should be authoritatively stated that the United States has no intention of taking permanent possession of San Domingo. In fact, it would not accept the Republic as a gift, although an agreement may be reached whereby the United States will acquire a coaling station on Samana Bay. The necessity of a coaling station at this point, which commands the Windward Passage to the Caribbean Sea, was appreciated as long ago as during President Grant's administration, and possession of Porto Rico and the Panama Canal strip make its acquirement doubly important. At present San Domingo is merely "harmed" by a military oligarchy which saps the vitality of the nation, maintaining a numerous army in idleness and robbing the unfortunate producer at every turn. The military forces are moreover described by a native San Domingan as "an army of Colonels with almost no privates," and they contribute to, rather than prevent, the numerous revolutions which have been the curse of the so-called republic.

Along about the latter part of February a fleet of American warships will make their appearance off the coast of Venezuela and their commander will ask some very pertinent questions and perhaps seize certain Venezuelan ports, unless President Castro shall perceive the error of his way in the meantime. The Venezuelan government has seized the entire property of the New York and Bermudez Asphalt Company after a resemblance of adjudication by a court selected for the purpose by Castro himself and the explanation which Mr. Castro has forwarded to the State Department of his reasons for expelling A. F. Jurett, an American editor of Caracas, has been pronounced most unsatisfactory and President Castro has been so advised. Sixty days will be given to Mr. Castro to undo the injustice he has perpetrated, at the expiration of which time he will, in the absence of satisfactory action, be dealt with as the

occasion demands. It has long been the pleasing custom of the Venezuelan President to severely discipline those members of any court which rendered a decision against the government and in the case of the Asphalt Company he calmly dissolved two courts and constituted a new "Supreme Court" consisting of those judges whose opinions had accorded with his wishes. In brief, he has been raising Venezuela as a tyrant and has broken faith with the United States which protected Venezuela from the vengeance of Great Britain and Germany and he must now be summarily dealt with by this country, or foreign powers must be allowed to interfere.

The President is seeking to impress on callers at the White House the importance he attaches to Commissioner Garfield's recommendation that corporations transacting an interstate business be required to procure federal licenses. Of course such licenses could be procured only on conditions as might be prescribed by Congress and the President and his Commissioner of Corporations believe that this method affords the clue to the desired control of the trusts. As in the case of his recommendation that the Interstate Commerce Commission be granted the power to fix railroad rates "until an endless" reversed by the court of review, the President is certain to meet with opposition in Congress and there is no likelihood that any such legislation will be enacted at the present session of Congress, but the vigorous manner in which the President has tackled the problem of trust control seems certain to result in eventually placing on the statutes legislation which will prove efficacious in remedying such evils as may exist. There is, of course, a tendency on the part of Congress to make haste slowly with new propositions but it seems certain that the leaders will become imbued with at least a portion of the President's energy and his sincerity as shown in his application to a solution of this problem.

TEN YEARS IN PEN

For Estill Darrell for His Brutal Crime of Criminal Assault.

Estill Darrell will serve ten years in the State penitentiary for criminal assault upon and sexual intercourse with his niece, Lillie Thomas Darrell-Thornberry Sparks. For the second time he was convicted of the crime in the Davies Circuit Court last Saturday by a jury and his punishment fixed at imprisonment for that time. Bitter and hard-fought has been the effort to save Darrell from the penitentiary. The crime of which he is convicted is, under the law, punishable by imprisonment in any term up to twenty years, or death. In the instance of his first trial, at the April term of court, 1904, he was convicted and the jury fixed his punishment at the limit, except death, and he was sentenced to serve twenty years at hard labor.

An appeal to the higher court followed where a reversal was secured on several points and the case remanded for another hearing. One of these was upon the introduction of certain evidence, and the others upon the conduct of the case by the prosecuting attorneys.

TAFFY.

Dec. 21.—It has been requested that I write to your paper in the interest of the Farmers Union if you will allow me space.

A tobacco buyer came through last week and offered 7 and 2 for Burley tobacco and nobody sold. This week two buyers came along and only two crops were sold. One sold for 8, 8 and 2 and the other for 8½, 8½ and 2½. Look out! The price is coming. Stand firm, for I believe in ten or twelve days we will get our prices, for the tobacco men are having farmers to go out and persuade farmers who don't belong to the union to sell at low prices. Keep your eye on those men.

SHOT TO DEATH.

Anthony Maiden Shoots and Kills Rice Renfrow.

Jake Stewart's Arm Shot Off—Trouble Arose Over Trival Affair.

Anthony Maiden, of White Run, a little town on the I. C. R. R. in the eastern part of the county, shot and killed Rice Renfrow and seriously wounded Jake Stewart at that place last Saturday late in the afternoon.

There are conflicting reports as to who was the aggressor in the difficulty which had such a tragic termination, but it is reported that Stewart, the man who had his right arm shot off and the only eye witness to the whole affair, says that Renfrow was attempting to draw his revolver from his pocket, when Maiden noticed him in the act and fired.

The parties, with numerous others, were at White Run, and the crowd had been engaged in target shooting, the prizes being chickens.

The origin of the trouble dates back several weeks, when Maiden and Renfrow had trouble over some hogs, when some of Maiden's hogs were killed by Renfrow in his (Renfrow's) cornfield. At that time they had a sharp difficulty, but nothing more than harsh talk passed between them. They had not spoken to each since.

At the time of the killing, Maiden, Renfrow and others were leaving Jno. Alford's store to try their luck at target shooting, when some one asked Maiden where he was going. He replied that he was going to shoot for a chicken. Renfrow responded that if Maiden got a chicken he would get two, and went after his revolver, which was in his right hand pants pocket. Maiden saw what he was doing, and fired one shot, which took effect in Jake Stewart's right arm. He fired again, and it took effect in Renfrow's stomach, and he died in a few minutes.

Maiden came to Hartford Tuesday and surrendered, and is now in jail awaiting his examining trial, which is set for to day.

The dead man was thirty-nine years of age, and leaves a wife and several children. Stewart also has a family.

Maiden's reputation is not very good. About twenty years ago he was in jail on a charge of larceny, housebreaking and shooting and wounding. The case was in the local courts for about ten years. He was found guilty of one of the charges and sentenced to the penitentiary, but the Court of Appeals reversed the decision. Maiden is sixty-five years of age.

GENERAL NEWS.

Gathered From Various Sources Over the Country—Brief Items.

Prince Inayat Ullah, son of the Ameer of Afghanistan, has arrived at Calcutta to visit Viceroy Curzon.

The steamship Colorado, of the Mallory line, just arrived at New York, was damaged to the extent of over \$20,000 by fire.

The Japanese are reported to have taken 50,000 Chinese into Southern Manchuria.

Thomas O'Brien, a notorious confidence man and alleged inventor of the "gold brick" swindle, is dead.

A peremptory decree has been made by the French Foreign Minister that every employe, high and low, in the Foreign Department, must shave off his mustache and beard.

A nitroglycerin magazine blew up Monday near Finley, O., and remnants of clothing found indicate that an unknown person was killed.

Dr. J. N. McCormick, secretary of the State Board of Health, investigated the smallpox situation in the Frankfort penitentiary Monday and thinks it can be easily controlled. A set of rules were issued requiring ev-

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Colds Lead to Catarrh--Catarrh Leads to Consumption.

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Miss Alma Lillia, 506 18th St., Rock Island, Ill., says:

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treatment that is ineffectual, and the cold continues.

Then they catch another cold and begin to cough. Then they take cough syrups, but they do no good.

By and by they get tired of taking medicine and give up in despair.

Their cold continues and their cough grows worse. Then they apply to a doctor, only to discover that they are in the first stages of consumption.

Nine cases of consumption out of ten occur in this way:

A person catches a cold. The cold is not properly cured, and they quickly catch another one. This cold is dilly-dallied with by no treatment, or some

Miss Lillia, of Illinois, started out exactly in this way. Fortunately, she took a course of Peruna before it was too late. She had caught several colds, then a cough developed. She took all sorts of cough medicines, until, as she puts it, "I sickened at the sight of them." In four weeks Peruna had cured her of her catarrh and her system was entirely rid of it.

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U. S. Senator John M. Thurston, from Nebraska, writes the following letter from Washington, D. C., under date of April 6, 1901:

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lion more are expected to start today. A severe wind storm was general throughout the Central States Wednesday. It attained a velocity of thirty-eight miles an hour and crippled the service of the telephone and telegraph companies, damaged forests and hindered business throughout the country.

MAZANZAS.

Dec. 28.—Christmas passed off quietly and all seem to have had a good time.

Mrs. W. A. Taylor is in Hartford at the bedside of her brother, Mr. Harve Condit, who is very sick.

H. B. Mabry, who has been quite ill of pneumonia, has about recovered. Rev. L. W. Tichenor returned from Central City Monday where he had been called to solemnize the rites of matrimony between Mr. J. R. Kincheloe and Miss Addie Atherton last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Thos. Bishop has been the guest of her father Mr. Jake Everly and family, near Smallhouse, for the last few days.

Miss Alba Everly is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. H. Kincheloe, near Centertown.

ANCIENT RUINS UNCOVERED

By Army of Archaeologists
in Asia and Egypt.

Greatness of The Queen of
Sheba was no
Myth.

By degrees the historical truth of the bible narrative is being confirmed by an army of archaeologists who are working in Asia Minor and Egypt, says a New York special to the St. Louis Republic. The great empires of the Mediterranean are being reconstructed by savans such as Messrs. Hogarth and Evans with the most satisfactory results; and now R. N. Hall, following in the footsteps of Theodore Bent, is bringing to light proofs of the Empire of Sheba, in South Arabia, which had colonies and outposts extending into Rhodesia. The greatness of the famous queen of Sheba, who visited Solomon, is now shown to be no myth, and Mr. Hall was able to demonstrate to the members of the Royal United Service Institute in London recently that the older portions of the Zimbabwe ruins in Rhodesia represents the monument of a colony of this ancient world power.

It was Sheba that provided the world with the Phoenician alphabet, the parent of all of our European systems, and provided the chief supply of gold to the Mediterranean. Sheba was the dominant power over East Africa, and so remained until the Christian era was well started. In 35 A. D. King Kharabil was in possession of the whole of this territory. The seat of government was in Southern Arabia, and the extensive Rhodesian gold workings out in Rider Haggard's novel "King Solomon's Mines" represent the activity of a colony sent south to win gold.

Mr. Bent, who discovered in 1901 the phallic character of these ancient temples at Great Zimbabwe, saw these ruins while they were still buried, but Mr. Hall is more fortunate, for during the eight years which he has given to unraveling the mystery of Rhodesian gold workings large portions of the temples have been cleared of the debris which concealed the original walls.

These ruins were known to the early Portuguese in 1510, the Arab gold, ivory and slave traders first mentioning them, says a writer in the Illustrated London News. After that period the ruins were lost sight of until 1868, when Adam Renders, an elephant hunter, rediscovered them, and later information came to be circulated in England; but the descriptions given were meager, owing to the fact that the ancient city had, in the course of centuries, become buried in the soil.

In 1891 Mr. Bent visited Zimbabwe and later published a work on "The Ruined Cities of Mashonaland." Mr. Hall, after his work at Zimbabwe, has caused a better description to be prepared, and while confirming Mr. Bent's main conclusions in several respects he carried the discussion as to the origin of the structures considerably further.

The ruins are composed of three groups of temples and forts—the Elliptical Temple, the Valley of Ruins and the Acropolis ruins. The area covered is almost two miles and a half in another direction, and examinations show that probably they extended much further.

The Elliptical temple is a massive structure of excellent masonry, fashioned of small granite blocks. The oldest portion has walls fifteen feet wide at the base and eight feet wide on the summit, the walls notwithstanding serious dilapidations, being still twenty-six feet to thirty-one feet in height. The slope of the faces tends to the building a decidedly eastern appearance. The entrances are narrow and are defended by buttresses. The temple contains a large number of passages, all narrow and tortuous. The interior is divided off into inclosures or courts. At the east end of the interior stand a massive conical tower, thirty-one feet in height and solid throughout. This structure affords evidence of the nature and fertility worship of the ancient builders.

A large portion of the interior of the temple has been cleared of soil and stones fallen from walls, and it is now possible for visitors to walk about on the old floors. On these lower floors

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Other articles of prehistoric character found by Mr. Hall were soapstone bowls carved with animals and geometric patterns, are large birds carved in soapstone on summits of beams five feet long. Ten of the birds have been discovered at Zimbabwe. These figures are believed to prove the worship of Almaquah (Ashtaroth of the scripture), and Venus of the Romans and Aphrodite of the Greeks, one of the principal deities of the nature and fertility worship common to all Semitic nations.

The exterior face of the temple which fronts the east, bears a mural decoration of chevron pattern, one of the oldest of ancient forms of decoration expressive of the idea of fertility. It is found on the ear touches of the earliest ascertained dynasties of Egypt, about 6,000 B. C., and on Phoenician coins, where it is used to represent water. This pattern extends from southeast to northwest, and faces to rising of the sun at the winter and summer solstices.

On the wall above the pattern was a line of tall monoliths of granite and slate, Mr. Hall discovered that this length of wall once carried small towers and beautifully carved soapstone monoliths.

This portion of the wall, so decorated toward the east, is believed to be connected with the geometrical orientation of the temple to fix seasons and periods of the year.

The system of orientation of ancient temples was commonly adopted in Asia, Arabia, Babylon, Phoenicia and Egypt. It is by the orientation of the temple that the approximate dates of its construction can be ascertained. The Zimbabwe temple is believed to date back 1,200 B. C.

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fealty. Judge Swayne appears not to be an admirable judge. He has done something he ought not to have done; he has done some right things in an offensive way. He has lacked that respect for his position which our teachers and preachers are always inculcating. Yet he cannot be removed except by impeachment. He is finally charged with high crimes and misdemeanor, the chief specification being that in charging \$10 a day for his expenses he only expended \$3.

The other charges are that he has been guilty of oppression in imprisoning persons upon false charges of contempt of court and that his actions have been corrupt in bankruptcy cases; that he has not been impartial; that he appointed a friend as United States Commissioner; that he is a non-resident, and that he made a junketing trip on a railway which is under his judicial control, the whole expense being paid by the receiver, who was appointed by himself, all of which is denied, though the per diem business is not disputed.

These are reasonable grounds for the removal of executive officers, but when a judge is guilty of them he must be formally indicted, tried, and if convicted, incapable of holding any office hereafter. There have been heretofore seven impeachments and only two convictions. The list is as follows:

1798—William Blount, United States Senator for Tennessee, charged with inciting Indian troubles along the lower Mississippi, acquitted.

1803—Jno. Pickens, United States District Judge for New Hampshire charged with drunkenness and profanity on the bench and making unlawful decisions, convicted.

1805—Samuel Chase, Justice of the United States Supreme Court, accused of misconduct in political trials, acquitted.

1830—Jas. H. Peck, United States District Judge for Missouri, charged with misconduct, acquitted.

1862—West H. Humphries, United States District Judge for Tennessee, charged with organizing rebellion, convicted.

1866—Andrew Johnson, President of the United States, charged with violating laws of Congress, acquitted.

1876—William W. Belknap, Secretary of War, charged with accepting a bribe, acquitted on a technicality.

It is plain that the trial court is somewhat favorably disposed to the accused and inclined to pass over offenses which if committed by executive officers would lead probably to "removal for cause," or else a reprimand and an injunction not to do it again.

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THEIR TURN TO RUN.

Experience of Two Bear Hunters in the Mountains of Oregon.

A bear hunt which terminated in a manner at once disappointing and surprising, is described by the Portland, Oregonian. It occurred in the mountains of Oregon, whither two gentlemen had taken themselves for a vacation trip.

Several days were spent in trout fishing. Then one of the men expressed a strong desire for a day's shooting for larger game. They set out the next morning bright and early, and after hours of fruitless tramping were about returning to camp, when suddenly they saw straight before them a brown bear sitting on his haunches, under a blueberry bush, and gorging himself with the berries.

Both hunters fired, and the bear, with an ugly growl, disappeared. The men hastened after him, but were unable to overtake him. For half an hour or more they followed the trail. Then all at once they came to a clearing. In the clearing was a cabin, and on the porch of the cabin sat the brown bear with one of his forelegs in a sling!

The hunters were greatly taken aback, as may well be supposed, but were still more surprised when they saw a man hastening toward them with a gun. They turned and ran, the men after them. They got away in safety, and learned afterward that the bear was a family pet, the owner of which was naturally angry at finding it ill-treated.

Worst of all Experience.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala. "For three years" she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered. For Liver, Kidney, Stomach and Bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It's guaranteed by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., druggists. m

Old Saws Re-Fixed.

A watched pot never boils over.
A word to the wise is wasted.
A rolling stone gathers much experience.
A party and his money are soon fooled.
Modesty is the best policy.
A company is known by the men it keeps.
Discretion is the unpopular part of valor.
Time and tide could wait for no woman.

A Pleasant Pill.

No Pill is as pleasant and positive as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are so mild and effective that children, delicate ladies and weak people enjoy their cleansing effect, while strong people say they are the best liver pills sold. Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro. m

Care of the Bath Room.

Nothing is so hard to keep in perfect order as the bath room, and nothing requires more constant attention.

Pipes are the most important part. If anything is wrong with them the whole family is in danger, for half the diseases contracted in winter, the time when people are more or less closely housed, may be traced to bad pipes and drainage.

Bathtub and basins should be kept immaculate, not just ordinarily clean, as a servant usually leaves them; they should be cleaned and cleaned with good soap and a brush, and then given a final cleaning with the woolen cloth good house keepers always keep ready for just such work. For woolen cloths are the only things that will surely take away that little dark ring that forms, no matter how little you are.

Glass or porcelain or nickel-plated fixtures come for almost every possible article a bath-room needs. Towel racks of glass are considered more sanitary and cleaner looking than if of any other material. Glass shelves—small, thick sheets of glass supported by nickel clamps—are used. Nickel soap cups and sponge cups come to slip over the side of a bath-



THEIR PROPER TREATMENT AND CURE.

Commonly, the first symptom of a "cold" is a chilly feeling, accompanied by sneezing, or a tickling in the throat. The most frequent of external causes are draughts, wet or cold feet, or going from hot rooms suddenly into cold ones. More frequently there is an inner cause—namely the stagnation of the blood caused by constipation or biliousness. Almost the first symptom is the feeling of cold in the feet and increased discharge from the nose.

No one ever takes cold unless constipated, or exhausted, and having what we call mal-nutrition, which is attended with impoverished blood and exhaustion of nerve force. Tonics consisting of large portions of alcohol, iron or cod liver oil do not bring the desired changes in the blood, because they do not enter the system and are not absorbed into the blood, with the exception of the alcohol, which shrivels up the red blood corpuscles when it does come in contact with them. We recommend the botanical extract of Dr. Pierce's because it contains no alcohol, and offers a reasonable and scientific method of treating the blood, by improving the nutritive functions of the patient. The "Golden Medical Discovery" accomplishes this, by first restoring the enfeebled digestive organs, so that food, the natural tissue builder, will be digested and assimilated.

Accept no substitute for Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. There is nothing "just as good" for diseases of the stomach.

tub and hang there, out of the way, yet conveniently near.

A word about your sponge. Those porous rubber sponges are generally conceded to be more hygienic than the old-fashioned sea sponges, which are very hard to keep sweet.

Nickel furnishings tarnish, though not in as ugly a way as almost any other metal does. They should be gone over carefully one day in every week with a good cleaning and polishing powder.

In the basins and tub should be dropped a little of some good disinfectant about once a week—every day, if there is sickness in the house, or if sickness is prevalent in the neighborhood.

Soap cups and tooth brush hangers or holders, drinking glasses and every utensil used in the room should be carefully washed out every day, and finished off with another woolen rag.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation. m

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will cure any pain, inside or out, in from 2 to 5 minutes

Something on His Works.

Helen Sherman Griffith, in January Lippincott's, writes:

A certain old darkey preacher, who "abarded round" among his parishioners, awoke one Sunday morning feeling far from well. He made one or two efforts to rise, but his head swam and ached and he felt "the misery" in every bone.

"Br'er Johnson, Br'er Johnson," he called to the worthy Deacon with whom he was then domiciled. "Br'er Johnson, I 'clar to goodness I jes' cawn't preach dis heah mo'nin', no-how. I's sick, dat's w'at I is. You-all jes' go up to de meetin'-house an' tack up a notice to say dat dar won't be no preachin' dis mo'nin'."

"Aw, Elder Dusenberry, you had'n't oughter gib in to de ill ob de flesh lak dat," said Deacon Johnson reprovingly. "You mak' a effort to rise, mah frien. Shame de debbil an' his pains 'll leab yo." "Tink what a disappoint'ment you's gwine to gib all dem niggahs—lettin' 'em get all fixed

up fer meetin' in deir bes' clothes, an' den fin' dere ain't gwine to be none."

So spake Br'er Johnson, with much more to like purpose. Thus admonished, the preacher rose and, with many groans and lamentations, dressed. A hearty breakfast and a turn in the fresh air gave him the strength of mind and body to face his congregation, and as the services proceeded he warmed to his work, delivering an even more fervid discourse than usual.

When he arrived at home after meeting Br'er Johnson greeted him anxiously.

"Well, Elder Dusenberry, how you feel?" he asked solicitously.

"Oh, I feel just-rate, Br'er Johnson. Spry as a sparrow, I is. An' I wants to thank you, Br'er Johnson, for a stirrin' me up dis mawnin' and keepin' me in de pal of duty."

"Oh, dat's all right, Br'er Dusenberry, dat's all right. I knowed you'd be all right as soon as you got dat sermon out ob your system!"

Sufferers from sciatica should not hesitate to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The prompt relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. For sale by all druggists. m

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Time for Rejoicing.

All Russia was rejoicing. The Czar was pacing up and down his palatial library, his face wreathed in smiles, and a pleasing and satisfied look in his bright blue eyes. The Czarina was the picture of happiness itself, as she lounged between the old-gold tapestries in her boudoir, a flush of ecstasy standing out on the cheeks that were usually so pale.

Outside the colossal palace the Czar's subjects were humming merry anthems of praise. The kibitkas that hurried to and fro held only cheerful occupants who had tidings of gladness for everyone whom they encountered. Kiosks were beautifully decorated.

The good news had spread from the borders of Hungary to the Black Sea.

The peasants forgot their hard struggles for the right to exist, and were filled with gratification at the message which had gone forth from the Palace. Patriarch and the nobility were raising glasses of kumis and toasting their grand rulers. All

Consumption

There is no specific for consumption. Fresh air, exercise, nourishing food and Scott's Emulsion will come pretty near curing it, if there is anything to build on. Millions of people throughout the world are living and in good health on one lung.

From time immemorial the doctors prescribed cod liver oil for consumption. Of course the patient could not take it in its old form, hence it did very little good. They can take

SCOTT'S EMULSION

and tolerate it for a long time. There is no oil, not excepting butter, so easily digested and absorbed by the system as cod liver oil in the form of Scott's Emulsion, and that is the reason it is so helpful in consumption where its use must be continuous.

We will send you a sample free.

Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

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50c. and 60c. all druggists



was gayety where before dreary silence and expectancy had reigned. The black cloud which had been hovering for so many years over the Great Bear had melted into sunshine, and its golden effulgences lit up the broad mirthful countenance.

And the strangers who happened into the land asked the cause of all this hilarity; this dissolution of sorrow and gravity. Had the war eventually ended?

Not at all. The little "Czaradine" Alexis had just donned his first pair of pants.

Be Quick.

Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. It never fails, and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all druggists. m

He Took it Back.

In a certain town in Western Massachusetts two of the most prominent citizens are a Methodist brother and a Presbyterian brother. These are neighbors, and for the most part, dwell on good terms, except when they try to effect an exchange of horses or to talk religion.

On one occasion the two had traded horses and although the outcome ranked in the breast of the Methodist, they had met and started a discussion on the subject of predestination. As usual, an altercation ensued, when the Methodist lost control of himself. With mixed emotions concerning horse trades and John Calvin in his mind, he suddenly exclaimed:

"You're a robber, a liar and a Presbyterian."

This proved too much for the Presbyterian and a fight began, in which the Presbyterian got the best of it. As he sat upon his prostrate opponent, bumping his head against the ground he said:

"Take it back, take it back, or I'll bump your foolish head off!"

"I'll take it back," gasped the vanquished Methodist, "on the first two counts; you're not a robber nor a liar and you're a blamed old Presbyterian if I die for it!"

Bilious Colic Prevented.

Take a double dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as soon as the first indication of the disease appears and a threatened attack may be warded off. Hundreds of people who are subject to attacks of bilious colic use the remedy in this way with perfect success. For sale by all druggists. m

The Millcreek Philosopher.

The too hilarious Christmas introduced to the headache.

Train up a child in the way he should go and when he groweth up he will show you how little you knew about it.

The banker is judged by the Chadwick company he keeps.

The early advertiser catcheth the usufruct.

The motto of the frenzied financier: "Cease to do evil; learn to do your competitor."

A babe in the house is a well-spring of Christmas demands.

Driven to Desperation.

Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of accident, resulting in Burns, Cuts, Wounds, Ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on earth. 25c. at Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro's, drug store. m

The Women of Kentucky.

The Kentucky women is simply the Venus of Milo in warm healthy flesh, with grace in all her motions, and when in love heaven in her eye. She has the American capacity to adapt herself to fresh conditions. Her nerves have not been set on edge by Atlantic east winds and she has a broad and sympathetic nature.

Mothers, Be Careful

Of the health of your children. Look out for Coughs, Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough. Stop them in time—One Minute Cough Cure is the best remedy. Harmless and pleasant. Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro. m

When you want a pleasant purgative try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and produce no nausea, griping or other disagreeable effect. For sale by all druggists. m

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
CHARLES C. BEARD.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
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FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK
W. S. TINSLEY.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY
E. M. WOODWARD.

FOR SHERIFF
R. B. MARTIN.

FOR JAILER
OSCAR MIDKIFF.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
JAMES M. DEWESE.

FOR ASSESSOR
SAM W. LEACH.

FOR SURVEYOR
NATHANIEL MONLEY.

FOR CORONER
JEROME ALLEN.

MR. BRYAN says he has had enough advice. In all probability that is why he is so liberal with it.

How often it is that we are tendered free advice, which, if followed, would be very expensive after all.

For the past two weeks we have given the advertisers most prominent positions in THE REPUBLICAN but this week we give over to our candidates.

It might be a part of wisdom to refrain for making any New Year resolutions until you are completely recovered from that post-Christmas tired feeling.

It is rumored that Dr. Chadwick is contemplating divorce proceeding against Mrs. Chadwick. He might be given the Carnegie notes as alimony.

VICE-PRESIDENT ELECT, CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS, was initiated into the secrets of Masonry at Indianapolis last Wednesday. A crowd of twelve hundred Masons witnessed the conferring of the third degree.

It is a source of regret that Jas. E. Cantrill's resignation from the judgeship in the Twenty-third Judicial district, which has been accepted by Gov. Beckham, does not retire him to private life instead of enabling him to qualify as judge of the Court of Appeals.

THE Cincinnati Commercial Tribune announces that it will add high-class colored comic supplement to its Sunday edition beginning January 8th. It is now the custom of all Metropolitan dailies to have a comic section in its Sunday edition, and the Tribune does not propose to lag behind.

THE Marcum damage suit was resumed at Winchester Tuesday after a few days vacation of the court for holidays. Witnesses were introduced by the defense, who testified that the character of several of plaintiff's witnesses is bad. In refusing to allow several members of the special grand jury that investigated the Marcum killing to testify as to what the testimony of Henry Noble was before that body, Judge Benton ruled that the secrets of the grand jury room should remain inviolable.

MRS. CHADWICK has been characterized as a hypnotist and those duped by her artful hand are denominated avaricious greeks. That the woman has played some very clever tricks on bank cashiers there is no question. That the bank officials expected a personal bonus out of the excessive discounts charged against Mrs. Chadwick there is little doubt and it is for this reason that they are not in position to ask or receive the consideration of the public any more

than Mrs. Chadwick is. A correspondent to the New York Times sizes up the situation in the following seemingly judicious way: If I understood the case correctly I fail to see upon what ground these "victims" are entitled to sympathy. With one accord they seem to have acted upon the supposition that they were dealing with a woman at once so rich and so reckless that for the sake of obtaining the temporary use of money for her needs she could be induced to agree to pay immense bonuses. These trusted and respected bank officials did not hesitate to give her the funds of their banks on most flimsy security, with the expectation that when the loan was repaid the bonus was to come to them personally—not to the institution which they represented.

CENTERTOWN.

Dec. 28.—Hon. A. B. Tichenor and wife, of Matanzas, visited H. H. Davis and family last week.

Wing Ross and wife, Rockport, visited relatives here this week.

Wing Kinschelo visited his brother in Central City during Christmas.

Mrs. J. M. Carter and children are visiting Mrs. Carter's parents near McHenry.

W. K. James, Matanzas, is here visiting his sisters, Mrs. N. E. James and Mrs. M. E. Woodward.

E. M. Morton and wife, are visiting Mrs. Morton's parents in Ulica.

Rev. L. P. Drake delivered an able sermon here Sunday night.

Teacher Receives Present.

The following brief but appropriate and expressive little declaration of appreciation was delivered by a pupil of Mr. A. V. Leach's on behalf of the school at its adjournment for the holidays when Mr. Leach received a nice present at the hands of his pupils:

Dear Teacher, again the sweet old story, old and yet ever new will be repeated at the glad some Xmas time, so close at hand, and if received in the spirit proper to the holy occasion will bring to all a sweet consolation.

Kind Teacher, I wish to express the sentiments of the whole school when I say that we recognize your matchless qualifications mental, moral and physical as teacher and heartily appreciate your patience and forbearance. Out of the fullness of our hearts we have decided to express more fully and more gracefully our desire and hope that you will remember us.

Take this, dear teacher, and in your onward and upward march to honor, fame and fortune, none will be more gratified at your success than the pupils at Vine Grove.

Covington, Lucien, and Greenup, Oklahoma.

Three new townsites to be opened within the next few weeks. Lots \$30 each on the installment plan. For particulars apply to

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Faiths of the Presidents.

Although the Baptist denomination is one of the most numerous in the United States, there has never been a Baptist President.

There have been two Congregational Presidents—John Adams, the second President, and John Quincy Adams, his son.

President Roosevelt is the second President of the Reformed Dutch Church, Martin VanBuren having been the first.

Millard Fillmore was a Unitarian, the only Unitarian President.

Washington, William Henry Harrison, John Tyler and Zachary Taylor were Episcopalians, as was Chester A. Arthur.

There have been five Presbyterian Presidents—Andrew Jackson, James K. Polk, James Buchanan, Benjamin Harrison and Grover Cleveland.

President Garfield was a member of the Church of the Disciples.

Prior of the civil war there had been no Methodist Presidents in the United States. Since 1861 the following Presidents have been Methodists: Abraham Lincoln, Johnson, Gen. Grant, R. B. Hays and William McKinley.

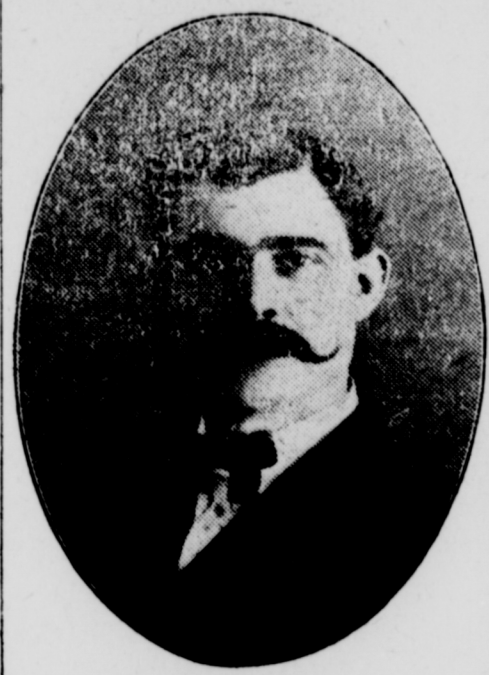
There has never been a Lutheran nor a Roman Catholic President.

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CHARLES C. BEARD.

Charles C. Beard, the nominee for representative, was born at West Point, Harden County Ky., on January 22nd, 1872. In his infancy his parents moved to Brandenburg, Ky. Here he attended the public schools and received a common school education, but at the age of fifteen, his father, Perry C. Beard, died, leaving a widow and several small children, and it became necessary for him to abandon his studies and seek employment, as the support of the family devolved upon him at his father's death. He served an apprenticeship at the saddlery and harness trade under J. S. Ditto, at Brandenburg, and after mastering the trade went to Louisville and became a foreman in the establishment of Habison & Gathright, with whom he remained for sometime. Afterwards he engaged in the Mercantile business at Huston, Ky., and in 1896 he came to Fordville and engaged in the the saddlery and implement business with John T. Smith, Jr. He soon became active in county politics, served one term in the town council and was city clerk, of Fordville, for one term. In 1898 he married Miss Abbie Smith, which gave him prominent family connection in Ohio county, she being a daughter of John T. Smith, Jr., President of the Fordville Banking Co., and a grand-daughter of John T. Smith Sr., and Mr. Harvey Ford, heads of pioneer families of Ohio county, and a niece of Dr. E. W. Ford, of Hartford. He has two interesting children and a cozy little home in Fordville. He was branded as good legislative timber by his friends early in the campaign won his race for the nomination without an effort, will be as easily elected and will serve his constituents faithfully. Mr. Beard is a Baptist and Royal Arch Mason.

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The famous little pills.

A Dyeing Man's Story.

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For mankind.

The 5 cent packets are enough for usual occasions. The family bottle (60 cents) contains a supply for a year. All druggists sell them.

New Officers.

At the annual meeting for the election of officers for the Masonic lodge held Tuesday, the following were selected:

Master, Henry Weinsheimer; Senior Warden, L. P. Foreman; Junior Warden, R. R. Riley; Secretary, M. Bean; Treasurer, R. Holbrook; Tyler, C. R. Campbell.

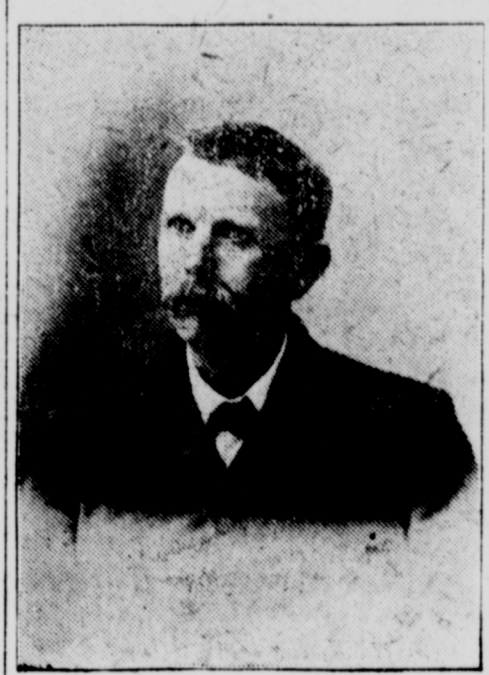
The new officers will be installed next Monday evening at 6 o'clock.

Dyspepsia

Is an indication that the stomach and other digestive organs are weak, tired or debilitated. It causes no end of aches and pains and is most common where people bolt their meals and hurry and worry as they do in this country.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

cures dyspepsia—it has "a magic touch" in this disease. For testimonials of remarkable cures send for Book on Dyspepsia, No. 5. C. I. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass.



W. B. TAYLOR.

W. B. Taylor, who was nominated for the office of County Judge without an opponent, was born and reared in what is known as the Taylortown neighborhood near Rochester in the Southern part of the county. He spent his boyhood days with his father on the farm and attended the neighborhood school during that time and at an early age had qualified himself for teaching. He taught very successfully in the public schools of the county for several years and during that period instructed several boys and young men who now fill the most important stations in life. During his experience as a teacher he was conceded to be one of the very best the county afforded. He finally abandoned his school work and turned his entire attention to farming and is now one of the most substantial and progressive farmers in the county. Mr. Taylor is eminently qualified to fill the position to which he will be elected next November, and his elevation to the position of County Judge will be hailed with approbation by a host of the county's best Democrats who will lend their aid in electing him, as well as all Republicans who will vote for him with out a dissenting voice.

Jerome Allen, the nominee of the Republican party for the office of Coroner, who received his nomination without opposition is a son of T. L. Allen and was born and reared in the Washington neighborhood, North of Hartford. He is fifty-five years old and a farmer. In 1897 he was nominated and elected Constable of the Hartford Magisterial district which position he filled with credit for the term of four years. He will receive the support of his party besides the support of some of his Democratic friends. When elected Mr. Allen will make an obliging and painstaking official.

Closing Out at Cost.

Prices now ruling at Foster's Cash Store.

- 3 cans Polk's Best Tomatoes . . . 25c
- 3 cans Mustard Sardines . . . 25c
- 5 cans Blackberries . . . 25c
- 3 cans Polk's Best Peas . . . 25c
- 3 cans Heinz Baked Beans . . . 25c
- 3 cans Best Kraut . . . 25c
- 3 cans best lye Hominy . . . 25c
- 6 bars Red Wrapper Soap . . . 25c
- 6 bars Big Deal Soap . . . 25c
- 6 bars Lenox Soap . . . 25c
- 6 bars Ivory Soap . . . 25c
- 6 bars King Cole White Tar Soap . . . 25c
- 3 bars fine Toilet Soap . . . 10c
- 3 boxes Rub-no-more . . . 10c
- 10 boxes Pearlina . . . 25c
- 3 boxes Axle Grease . . . 25c
- 2 boxes Cream of Wheat . . . 25c
- 2 boxes Popcorn . . . 5c
- 3 balls Pop Corn . . . 5c
- 5-lb box Union Oats . . . 20c
- 2 lb box Hawk Eye Oats . . . 15c
- 1-lb box Victory Oats . . . 4c
- 6 lbs Rice . . . 25c
- 6 lbs white Navy Beans . . . 25c
- 4 lbs Butter Beans . . . 25c
- Best Cream Cheese . . . 15c lb
- Best Water Crackers . . . 15c lb
- 2 boxes Currants . . . 15c
- 2 boxes Seeded Raisins . . . 15c
- 2 packages Lion Coffee . . . 25c
- 2 packages Kie-me Chewing Gum . . . 5c
- 3 bottles Vanilla . . . 10c
- 3 bottle Lemon . . . 10c
- 1 package of Elastic Starch . . . 4c
- 1 box Bird Seed . . . 4c
- 2 packages Grape Nuts . . . 25c
- 2 packages Cero-Fruto . . . 20c
- 2 packages Force . . . 20c
- Everything else that is now left goes in proportion.

J. B. FOSTER,
Hartford, Ky.



W. S. TINSLEY.

W. S. Tinsley, the Republican candidate for County Court Clerk, is a young man who never before asked the people to honor him. He is the son of a veteran of the Civil War, and was born on a farm near Beds, and resided there until a short time ago, when he gave up farming and came to Hartford in order to engage in business and to secure better advantage for the education of his children.

He married a daughter of Esq. W. P. Bennett, and is related to many of the best families of the county.

Mr. Tinsley has always been a consistent Republican, but is not a partisan, and his friends are not bound by party lines.

He is closely and prominently identified with the fraternal life of Hartford being a Knight Templar Mason, K. of P. &c.

Perhaps no candidate on the ticket has more friends than W. S. Tinsley; certainly none has fewer enemies. Being essentially a fair and honorable man, he has so conducted himself that he holds the esteemed and personal friendship of the most partisan Democrat, while his nomination in a contest with two of the most popular Republicans of the county proves his strength in his own party.

Those who know Wilburn Tinsley best are most confident of his election and all who know him feel sure that in his election the people would secure an honest, capable and obliging Clerk.

Badly Hurt.

Last Friday night while feeding the stock at his father's livery stable, Master Harlin Barnard fell from the hay loft to the driveway below, a distance of ten or twelve feet. He struck the ground on his head and was rendered unconscious for some time. His head and face were painfully bruised but at last report he was improving.

Oil has been discovered in large quantities in and around Greenup, Oklahoma. There are now about 40 wells producing from 65 to 250 barrels per day. For particulars in regard to lots in Covington, Lucien and Greenup apply to CAL P. KEOWN, Hartford, Ky.

We have just canvassed our Shoe stock and find that we have 70 pairs of Shoes to close out at greatly reduced prices. These shoes are for Men, Ladies and Children. The stock in these Shoes is first-class, but a lot of odds and ends. We have placed them on the bargain counters

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E. M. WOODWARD.

Ernest M. Woodward, nominee for County Attorney, was born November 18th, 1878, about four and one-half miles north of Hartford. He worked on the farm with his father and attended the public schools, during his boyhood and later attended Beaver Dam seminary, and Hartford College, where he fitted himself for teaching, and at the age of eighteen he began teaching in the public schools. He spent his vacations in studying law and at the March term of the Ohio Circuit Court in 1898 was granted license to practice that profession. He began actively the practice of law in 1900 locating at Hartford, taking the views of most lawyers that the county seat is the most available and suitable location for a legal practitioner. So brilliant and eminently successful were his initial services in his chosen profession that he was enabled to form a partnership with Hon. M. L. Heavrin, an old and experienced lawyer, in less than one year after he located at Hartford.

In 1902 Mr. Woodward was united in marriage to Miss Carrie Leach and they lived happily together until death called her away the next year. Ernest, as most people know him, numbers his friends by his acquaintances, for to know him is assurance that he is your friend and you his.

The fact that he was nominated for the responsible position of County Attorney of a great county like Ohio by the dominant party without opposition speaks eloquently of his popularity and in unmistakable terms regarding his standing with his party and the people generally. If elected, and there is no question but that he will be, Mr. Woodward will serve the people in a kind, dutiful and honorable way.

Mr. Willis Hefflin took sick Tuesday and is confined to his room at the Commercial hotel. His physician, Dr. A. F. Stanley, hopes that Mr. Hefflin will be able to return home tomorrow.

Mr. Herman Mauzy, Livermore, is the guest of his father, Mr. H. B. Mauzy.

There are 4 large Grain Elevators at Covington, Oklahoma, and over five hundred thousand bushels of wheat was shipped from this station on the Arkansas Valley and Western this year. For particulars in regard to lots at the opening of Covington Lucien and Greenup, apply to Cal P. Keown, Hartford, Ky.

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R. B. MARTIN.

R. B. Martin, nominee for Sheriff, was born near Select, on the 21st of March, 1870. He was reared on his father's farm in the neighborhood of his birth, attended the public schools and labored on the farm during his minority, and at an early age was married to Miss Delila F. ner. He continued farming until 1897, when he became deputy Sheriff for Cal P. Keown, and served during the last year of his first term. In 1899 Mr. Martin engaged in general merchandising at Cromwell, and continued the business until about a year and a half ago, when he sold his property there and moved to Hartford to educate his children.

Mr. Martin is a whole-soul fellow, and is noted for his successful management of all his undertakings. As a farmer, he has been eminently successful; as a merchant, among the very best, and as deputy Sheriff, his kindly disposed manners and steady business methods made for him a commendable record.

His election next November means that the people will be served by a kind and painstaking official. He is a Baptist, Mason, K. of P. and Ted Man.



OSCAR MIDKIFF.

Oscar Midkiff, the nominee for Jailor, was born and reared on a farm near Olaton. He is a young man, the son of W. P. Midkiff and the grand-son of T. W. Wedding. In boyhood he assisted his father with affairs of the farm and attended the public schools and in early manhood married a daughter of Mr. Coleman Daniel. He is an industrious and enterprising farmer.

In 1896 Mr. Midkiff made the race for the nomination for Jailor against the present incumbent, Mr. Thomas H. Black, and came nearer winning the prize than any other of the unsuccessful aspirants and his graceful submission to the will of a majority of his fellow Republicans had much to do with his success in the recent race. Mr. Midkiff is an honest, upright and courageous citizen, and is a true type of genuine manhood.

His popularity in his native community will add strength to the ticket and his election will bring to the office of Jailor a diligent faithful and accommodating official.

Buy our Scholarship in the Massey Business College located at Louisville. Position guaranteed.



JAMES M. DEWESEE.

James M. DeWeese, the nominee of the Republican party for Superintendent of Schools, is a young man. He was born near Trisler, in Ohio county in 1876, and has been connected with the schools of this county since his earliest advent as a pupil, and has served in the capacity of teacher, county examiner, and Superintendent.

His education in the common schools was not neglected, and was supplemented by years of study at Lebanon Ohio, and Valparaiso, Ind. From the latter college he graduated in 1900, and the same year was nominated by his party for Superintendent of Common Schools.

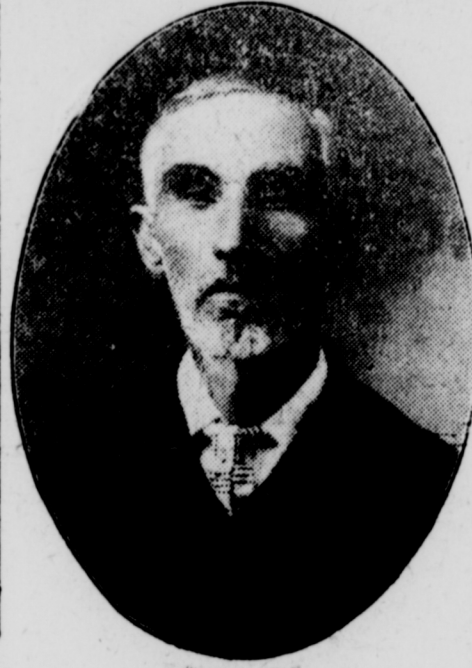
His opponent, Prof. L. W. Gadsey, was a popular teacher, and a skilled politician, but in the final election Gadsey was beaten by a decisive vote.

As Superintendent Mr. DeWeese has been ever accommodating and courteous, alike mindful of his official duties and of the individual kindness which have endeared him to the teachers and officers of the common schools.

So popular is his administration that no teacher would announce against him, and he received the unanimous vote of his party's convention.

During his administration the schools of the county have sustained a continued improvement. Ohio county had more young men and women who completed the common school course last year than any county in the State. The large audience that witnessed the graduation exercises this summer will not soon forget the number or appearance of the graduates.

To the independent vote, and the school-man the candidacy of Mr. DeWeese and his request for an endorsement by a re-election will appeal strongly, and we prophecy the verdict next November will be, "well done, thou good and faithful servant."



NATHANIEL MOXLEY.

Nathaniel Moxley, who without opposition was nominated by the Republican party as its candidate for Surveyor was born in the Eastern part of Kentucky in 1839 while his parents were on their way from Virginia to Ohio county. He is of Irish parentage and belongs to a family of school teachers himself having taught thirty-four years in the public schools. He has been a resident of Ohio county all his life and has been a practical Surveyor for twenty-five years. In 1897 he was nominated by the Republican party for the same office to which he aspires at present and won over his Democratic opponent by a decisive vote. He filled the position in a kind, obliging and faithful manner and will bring the same good spirit and efficient to the office if elected next November. He is without personal enemies and will receive many Democratic votes in the community in which he lives.

Sam W. Leach, the nominee for assessor, was born and reared in Ohio county near Cromwell. He is now fifty three years old. He is a farmer, and like many others of the best farmers and most substantial citizens of the county, lives in the community in which he was born. He has never held an elective office except constable, to which position he was elected about eighteen years ago, defeating Buck Porter, his Democratic opponent.

When Mr. H. Frank Lowe was elected Assessor in 1901, he appointed Mr. Leach his deputy in the Cromwell country, and he has reappointed him annually since then, which position he now holds.

Mr. Leach is a kind and obliging gentleman, and is quite popular in his native community and other sections where he is known, and his election will insure a sober, attentive business-like administration. Mr. Leach is a Baptist and a Mason.

A Happy New Year And Many Thanks

To all who have patronized us during the past year! We are delighted to say that our business has increased this year in greater volume than any previous year since we have been in Hartford, and we can only lay this to one cause and that we have been giving good goods and low prices to all who have patronized us. In other words a bargain goes with every sale.

"Ring Out the Old, Ring in the New!"

So you must not forget to follow that advice by taking off the old and putting on the new. You can best do this by patronizing us, where you will find everything new and up-to-date to take the place of your old wearables. We are confident that we can fit you out with the latest, newest, cheapest and best dry goods in the market, if you will only come to see us. Patronize us during the New Year and save money, besides getting the best of goods.

Sam Bach,

Hartford, Kentucky.

Gratitude.

With grateful hearts we wish to thank the public of Ohio county for their liberal patronage through the year 1904. By your help we have been able to make this year a most prosperous one. We trust that our endeavor to give everybody more goods and same goods for less money than any house in Ohio county, will merit a continuance of your patronage through 1905. With best wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year, we are, respectively,

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30.



Illinois Central Railroad--Time Table.

| North Bound. | South Bound. |
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| No. 132 due 5:22 a. m. | No. 121 due 11:31 a. m. |
| No. 122 due 12:30 p. m. | No. 101 due 2:53 p. m. |
| No. 102 due 2:37 p. m. | No. 131 due 8:49 p. m. |

Carson Bros. pays cash for Furs.

J. A. Cheek, Fordsville, called to see us Saturday.

A. V. Leach, Prentiss, made us a pleasant call Saturday.

Clayton Hocker, Beaver Dam, was a pleasant caller Saturday.

The Board of Supervisors will begin its annual session next Monday.

Editor Heber Matthews and family visited in Owensboro the last of last week.

Born, to the wife of Mr. J. H. Williams, City, on last Friday a fine boy and girl.

Mrs. Sam T. Barnett is the guest of her mother, Mrs. DeMoss, in Hopkins county.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Crowe are the proud parents of a fine new boy. He arrived last Monday.

Misses Bertha and Sallie Martin, Cromwell, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Martin.

FOR SALE—My two story Residence. MRS. JULIA WEDDING, Hartford, Ky.

Mrs. J. A. Park is visiting in Leitchfield this week.

Dr. D. W. King, Auburn, Ky., is visiting friends in town this week.

The Ohio county Fiscal Court will convene at Court Hall next Tuesday.

Leave your Laundry at Cleve Her's grocery. Work guaranteed. Prompt delivery. 46tf

Col. C. M. Barnett is spending the holidays with us. He will return to Louisville to-day.

Miss Kitty Collins, who has been attending school at Indianapolis, Ind., returned home last Thursday.

We still have a few Cloaks left which we will close out at low figures. CARSON & CO.

John P. Taylor, who has been attending school at Louisville, is spending the holidays here with his parents.

Bring your furs to Sam Bach, the Hartford merchant. He will take all you've got and pay you the highest cash price.

Mr. W. T. Woodward left Monday for San Angelo, Tex., where he will spend the winter with his son, Clayton Woodward.

An elegant line of Ladies Dress Skirts can be found at Sam Bach's. Don't fail to see them before purchasing elsewhere.

We have another big job in odd Pants which we have put on our bargain counter at \$1.00 and \$1.50. Come to us for bargains in pants. CARSON & CO.

FOR SALE—A farm consisting of 102 acres, good buildings, well watered, located one mile south-east of Rosine, Ky. C. G. CROWDER, Rosine, Ky.

W. S. Hill, Ceralvo, was a pleasant caller yesterday.

Dr. J. S. Bean spent the holidays with his father, Dr. L. B. Bean.

Orvis Tatum, Matanzas, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. C. E. Smith.

A new \$6,000 school building is now being erected in Covington, Oklahoma.

Mr. Harry Newsom, of Davless county, is spending the holidays in the city.

Ladies, drop in at City Restaurant and try a cup of our Hot Chocolate. So good.

Mrs. W. A. Taylor, Matanzas, is at the bedside of her brother, Mr. Harve Condit, who is quite ill.

Lucien, Oklahoma, has 3 large grain elevators and shipped 360,000 bushels of wheat this year.

Chocolate, Grape-Kola, Tomato-Bouillon, Clam-Bouillon, Liquid Beef, red hot at City Restaurant.

Born, to the wife of Garfield Barnard, Fordsville, Ky., on the 24th, last., a nine pound boy. Mother and child doing well.

We have upon our shelves some big bargains in Overcoats and Dress Goods. Visit us for these articles and you are sure to get a bargain. CARSON & CO.

Mrs. Burks Tichenor died at her home at Beda last Monday night. After funeral services held at Beulah church Wednesday at ten o'clock, her remains were interred at Beulah cemetery.

Applications for lots in Covington Lucien and Greenup, Oklahoma, should be made at once as the opening of these new towns will take place in a few days. Apply to Cal P. Keown, Hartford, Ky., for particulars.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Woodward have moved to Bevier.

City restaurant has put in a Hot Drinks' outfit. Fine. Call and try 'em.

County Supt. J. M. DeWeese is spending the holidays with his mother at Shreve.

Mrs. Thomas Watkins, Owensboro, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Thomas.

Mr. C. J. Rhoads will leave about the middle of January for Arkansas where he expects to locate.

Mr. W. S. Tinsley, who has been indisposed during the past week, is able to be out on the street again.

Herbert Park and wife, of the Clear Run neighborhood, are the guests of Mrs. Park's sister at South Carrollton.

Schroeter's Floating Studio will be at Hartford until Jan. 1, 1905. Prices on pictures range from 50c to \$6.00 per dozen.

The infant son of Sam Farris that was badly burned a few days ago is no better. Pneumonia has developed in both lungs and it is not expected to live.

Mr. Lewis Yontz was united in marriage to Miss Frankie Durrall at the New Commercial Hotel, Hartford Wednesday. Judge James P. Miller officiated.

Attorney J. E. Fogle is the guest of his father, Hon. McDowell Fogle, at Middlesburg, Ky. The father is nearly 80 years old yet he is quite active and takes remarkable interest in the current affairs.

The management of Hartford College spoke to the public through THE REPUBLICAN's columns last week and again this week. They are calling attention to their school and its advantages. See ad in another column.

FOR SALE

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Odd Bits of Information.

While the ratio of insane persons to sane in England is 1 to 288, in Chicago it is 1 to 150.

Moscow asylum authorities are experimenting on a hypnotic cure for alcoholism.

Turin, one of the largest cities in Italy, has not a single building with a first-class elevator.

In the Southern part of California roof gardens are becoming features of all the new buildings.

Three condensed milk factories are now in operation in the United States, with an aggregate \$225,000 invested capital and a daily capacity of 2,650,000 pounds of milk.

To manufacture tobacco grown in Canada a factory is about to be opened in Winnipeg. Experts say that the Canadian tobacco is hardly distinguishable from the Havana product.

The Australian Government has organized an expedition to explore the region between Lake Eyre and the boundary of Queensland. This land is said to be one of the worst deserts in the world.

An eccentric old bachelor named Bron, who died recently at the Portent, left a legacy of £145 to the bars of the well-known bear pit at Berne. The municipality has accepted the legacy "in the name of the bears."

Not one girl in 10,000 has a dimple in her chin. Indeed, this kind of dimple seems to be more frequent in men than in women. It has another peculiarity—namely, that it is permanent, whereas other dimples of the face come and go with changes of expression.

Mr. Francis Galton, F. R. S., has founded in London University, a fellowship for the promotion of the study of "National Eugenics," the study of the agencies under social control that may improve or impair the racial qualities of future generations, either physically or mentally.

That Throbbing Headache.
Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents, money back if not cured. Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., druggists.

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The famous little pills.

Mildly Cynical.
[New York Times.]
A man is happy if he feels young, a woman if she looks young.
Honesty is a virtue, and virtue is its own reward.
Many a man has more gold in his teeth than he has in the bank.
People who persist in giving advice must expect to take a lot of blame.
Even when a woman has clocks in her stockings she can generally manage to miss a train.
No man is above criticism; not even the critic.
The pessimist believes that he laughs best who laughs least.
A woman's tears will drive a man to drink, especially if he is the cause of them.
Some people would have faith even

The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deep and so insidious. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. I kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell.

Bladder troubles most always result from a derangement of the kidneys and a cure is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. If you are feeling badly you can make no mistake by taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and sold by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sized bottles. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful new discovery and a book that tells all about it, both sent free by mail. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

In a matrimonial agency run by an old maid.

No More Suffering.

If you are troubled with indigestion get a bottle of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and see how quickly it will cure you. Geo. A. Thompson, of Spencer, Ia., says: "Have had Dyspepsia for twenty years. My case was almost hopeless. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure was recommended and I used a few bottles of it and it is the only thing that has relieved me. Would not be without it. Have doctored with local physicians and also at Chicago, and even went to Norway with hopes of getting some relief, but Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the only remedy that has done me any good, and I heartily recommend it. Every person suffering with indigestion or Dyspepsia should use it. Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro. m

Sentence Sermons.

[Chicago Tribune.]
Sorrow gives strength.
Flattery makes no friends.
Soft soap washes no hearts.
Looking at sin leads to loving it.
Love is never afraid of overwork.
It doesn't take any grit to grumble.
The angry man always lashes himself.
Religion for reward would be sin for a raise.
A bed of roses soon wears down to the thorns.
The sure sign of a fool is that he forgets his folly.
Nothing enriches the world more than a happy face.
He who dwells on his troubles always dwells in them.
A warm handshake may do more good than a cold handout.
You never lose any of your sorrow by shedding sour looks.
One realizes the impotence of money when he tries to buy love.
Your conscience must be a light to you, but it cannot be a law to others.
Men who have an evil habit to hide generally cache it away in an incubator.
The man who goes into a thing with a swelled head always comes out with a sore one.
It's no use bragging of your ancestors unless they would feel like returning the compliment.
Charity is more than dropping a crust in the slot in the expectation of drawing out a three-layer cake.
One of the saddest sights of our day is when a man buries his nose in volumes of sermons or of sociology as to shut out the sight of the sorrowing.

Beware of Counterfeits.
"DeWitt's is the only genuine Witch Hazel Salve" writes J. L. Tucker, of Centre, Ala. "I have used it in my family for Piles, Cuts and Burns for years and can recommend it to be the best Salve on the market. Every family should keep it, as it is an invaluable household remedy, and should always be kept on hand for immediate use." Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro. m

Disgraceful Deficiencies.
[Orison Sweet Marden, in Success.]
It is a disgrace:
To half-do things.
Not to develop our possibilities.
To be lazy, indolent, indifferent.
To do poor, slipshod, botched work.
To give a bad example to young people.
To have crude, brutish, repulsive manners.
To hide a talent because you have only one.
To live half a life when a whole life is possible.
Not to be scrupulously clean in person and surroundings.
To acknowledge a fault and make no effort to overcome it.
To be ungrateful to friends and to those who have helped us.
To go through life a pygmy when nature intends you for a giant.
To kick over the ladder upon which we have climbed to our position.
To be grossly ignorant in these days of free usages of good society.
To ignore the forces which are improving civilization in your own country.
Not to be able to carry on intelligently conversation upon current topics.
To shirk responsibility in politics, or to be different to the public welfare.
To know nothing of the things we see, handle and enjoy every day of our lives.
To be ignorant of the general history

of the world and of the various countries.

Not to know something of the greatest leaders, reformers, artists and musicians of the world.

Not to have intelligent knowledge of the general affairs of the world and the inter relations of nations.

Not to know enough about the laws of health, about physiology and hygiene to live healthfully and wisely.

To vote blindly for party, right or wrong, instead of for principle, because you have been doing so for years.

To be grossly ignorant in these days of free schools, cheap newspapers, periodicals and circulating libraries.

To be so controlled by any appetite or passion that the usefulness and standing in the community are impaired.

To be totally ignorant of natural history, to know nothing of the science which underlies the beauties and marvels of nature.

Not to have an intelligent idea of the country in which we live, not to know its history, its industries and the conditions of its people.

Not to know anything of the movements for human betterment and not to help them along to the extent of our time and money.

To live in the midst of schools, libraries, museums, lectures, picture galleries and improvement clubs, and not to avail oneself of their advantages.

Head About to Burst From Severe Bilious Attack.

"I had a severe bilious attack and felt like my head was about to burst when I got hold of a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. I took a dose of them after supper and the next day felt like a new man and have been feeling happy ever since," says Mr. J. W. Smith, of Julliff, Texas. For biliousness, stomach troubles and constipation these Tablets have no equal. Price 25 cents. For sale by all druggists. m

Bird Lost in the Air.

Boys are frequently lost in the woods, and it is a singular fact that birds are sometimes lost in the air. This might seem strange to almost anyone; but the average man is a superficial observer of little things.

In the fair North, and particularly along the ocean coasts, birds are frequently storm driven and lose their bearings, so that many of them are lost at sea. They keep floating in the air aimlessly, striving to live, until exhaustion compels them to drop into the angry waves which engulf them.

There is a well-authenticated case on record of an ocean liner bringing into New York on a winter's day a large white owl which had dropped to one of the forward spars in an exhausted condition more than eight hundred miles off the coast of Newfoundland. It was nearly dead from cold and hunger, and almost too weak to eat anything. It had become much emaciated and trembled in its distress when it tried to swallow the first morsel of meat which was placed within its beak. The captain and sailors were all interested in it, and under their nourishing care it slowly recovered, and became entirely well and healthy a strong. It willingly remained with the ship afterward.

It was evidently a land bird which had been blown off from the coast of Newfoundland by strong west winds, had become lost, merely drifted before the gales, kept out of the water, almost starved to death, and made its last intelligent effort to reach the ship and there fell in exhaustion and collapse.

Old sailors narrate many other instances of finding birds that have been lost in the air.

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Country vs. City Life.

[Western Farmer]

There is a general impression among people who do not know, that country life is an unvarying round of dull monotony.

That is where the city dweller is off his trolley.

There may have been a time when life in the country was tolerably monotonous, though our experience has been that there is generally something doing in the country and mighty little opportunity to get real lonesome.

Here is the record of the experience of a city man who decided to buy a farm and move out into the country where he could commune with nature and get away from the maddening crowd. He married and moved with his bride immediately to their country residence.

The first evening a crowd of fifty neighbors gathered to charivari the newly married couple. It was a sort of cross between an hour in the boiler factory and an active siege of a fortress. A dozen men kept up a continuous fire with shotguns, four others beat a big circular saw with sledge hammers, six others had managed to supply themselves with gongs and the balance were fixed with kettles and tin pans. The bride's hearing was badly impaired for a month after the occurrence, and the groom had one ear drum split by the noise.

The next day the man from the city wandered out in his fields and saw a cone hanging on a tree. He started to examine it.

The first hornet that got into action hit him right under the eye and the second bit him right on the upper lip. It was four days before he could see out of that optic and his lip was swelled until he had to stand on his tiptoes to look over it.

During the course of his first month's experience the man from the city was kicked twice by a mule, three times by a cow; chased up a tree once by a dog and run out of a field by a vicious bull. A friendly calf chewed the tail off his coat and a William goat ate up his best pair of pants which had been hung out on the fence to air.

Within the first three months of his sojourn in the quiet country a fractious team of horses had run away with him four times. Twice he had been pitched in a blackberry thicket and come out worse scratched up than a Thomas cat after a hard battle with a successful rival. Once he came out with a broken collar bone and once with a fractured leg. His wife, in hunting for greens in the woodlot, came in contact with poison ivy. As a result her face looked like a painted puff ball for a week after.

Within the first six months he had to get up twice at night to fight prairie fires, plowed through two bumble bee nests and disturbed the domestic arrangement of a family of yellow jackets.

Others may talk about the quite and monotony of country life, but this man knows by actual experience that for strenuousness the city isn't in it with the country.

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It often happens in cases of accident that the danger to life is greatly increased by, if not solely dependent upon, the loss of blood, the injury itself being a comparatively trivial affair. Whether light or serious, the wound can wait, indeed in most cases must wait, for the arrival of the physician, but the bleeding waits for nothing. It must be arrested speedily, and if it is not stopped by some one on the spot or if it does not cease spontaneously the coming of the physician may be useless, for the wounds of a dead man need no binding.

In classes of instruction in first aid to the wounded this point is always insisted upon, and rightly, but unfortunately how bleeding from a cut or torn artery can be quickly and certainly arrested is not always clearly enough explained. The pupils study diagrams depicting the course and direction of the large arteries, and round black or red disks are placed at the points where pressure can be effectively applied to shut off the flow of blood from the parts lower down on the limb. The application of a tourniquet is taught, and sometimes even the mode of tying an artery (which is surgeon's work and not to be attempted by any member of a first aid class) is elaborately explained. But sometimes the lecturer forgets to say that the most copious bleeding can always be arrested temporarily and often permanently by simple pressure made directly on the bleeding point. If you can put your finger (literally) on the source of the hemorrhage and keep it there your wounded companion will not bleed to death, at least not while under your care.

One must make sure in doing this that the finger is really making pressure on the bleeding point, which may be deep down at the bottom of the wound, but the continuance of the bleeding will soon prove that the finger or the cloth pad or the rounded stick or whatever is used to make pressure with is not pressing on the right spot. Care must be taken not to soil the wound with dirty fingers or a dirty rag. If time and opportunity permit the finger should first be washed or at least wiped with a clean cloth, and if a cloth pad is used the outer layers at least must be free from visible dirt.

In almost any company some one may be found who has a clean handkerchief in the pocket. One which has not been unfolded is best, for this can then be folded inside out and made up into a clean pad of any desired shape. — Youth's Companion.

Roman Epicures.

A certain Roman epicure once gave a little dinner to nine friends. It cost \$10,000. Oysters brought by footmen from Britain were consumed in quantities. The Roman gastronomy favored such delicacies as peacock, guinea hen, nightingale, thrushes, perhaps a whole boar stuffed with the flesh of other animals. But fish was the especial dainty. Vitellius, we are told, had his fish weighed alive before him at the table. Bets were made on the duration of its expiring gasps. His brother once served him a dinner at which 2,000 of the choicest fish were used. He often dined out, and none of the meals ever cost his host less than \$15,000. Apicius, after wasting nearly \$3,000,000 in feasting, discovered to his dismay that he had but a little over \$400,000 left. This being too little for a gentleman to exist on, he calmly killed himself.

No Courting on Sundays.

The Bethel Primitive Methodist chapel in Burnley, England, recently held its anniversary. On that occasion a souvenir handbook, which contained copies of all records, was issued. A minute passed in 1894 reads: "That we do not allow young men and women of our society to court with each other on Sunday. Neither do we allow our single men and women to walk arm in arm in the streets together at any time, nor do we allow them to stand in the streets together chatting." Another resolution forbade girl choiristers wearing bows in their bonnets.

Willing to Help.

The London Chronicle tells of a warm hearted omnibus driver. A woman who occupied a seat near the driver saw a man friend inside an omnibus proceeding just ahead. Signs and telepathic communications alike failed to attract the attention of the unconscious passenger, though of course everybody else on both omnibuses was wreathed in interested smiles. Then the driver's heart was melted. Leaning forward, he prodded the conductor of the foremost bus with his whip. "Tell the gentleman to smile at the lady," he said.

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County Court—J. P. Miller, Judge; M. S. Ragand, Clerk; W. H. Barnes, Attorney, Hartford. Court convenes first Monday in each month. Quarterly Court—Begins on the third Monday in April, July, October and January.

Court of Claims—Convenes first Monday in January, Tuesday after second Monday in October. Other Officers—J. H. Wood, Surveyor, Cernalvo Frank Lowe, Assessor, Beda. James DeWeese School Superintendent, Hartford. Ben L. Davis Coroner, Sulphur Springs.

Justices' Courts.

B. F. Hudson, Beaver Dam—February 16, May 18, August 21, November 30.
Geo W Martin, Balzstown—February 12, May 14, August 20, November 12.
Jno M Graham, Narrows—February 28, May 2, August 29, November 13.
T. A. Evans, Fordsville—January 15, May 7, August 27, November 5.
J. A. Hicks, Buford—February 7, May 9, August 12, November 7.
W. A. Rone, Centertown—February 9, May 11, August 24, November 9.
D. J. Wilcox, Rockport—February 20, May 5, August 25, November 14.

Hartford Police Court.

Jno. B. Wilson, Judge. C. E. Smith, City Attorney. S. F. Barnett, Marshal. Court convenes second Monday in each month.

Religious Services.

M. E. Church, South—Services third Sunday in each month at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., and second Sunday at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. Rev. W. T. Miller, Pastor.
Baptist Church—Services held Saturday night before second Sunday; Sunday and Sunday night and fourth Sunday and Sunday night. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening. Rev. J. H. Barnett, pastor.

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Secret Societies.

A. O. U. W. meets first and third Friday nights in each month.
Hartford Lodge, No. 875, F. & A. Masons, first Monday night in each month.
Rough River Lodge, No. 110, Knights of Pythias meets every Tuesday night.
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RENDER.

Dec. 27.—John Francis was in Central City on business last Wednesday.

Rhea Armstrong, of Leitchfield, was here on business last Wednesday.

Mrs. J. L. Neighbors went to Powderly last Wednesday to stay over Christmas with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Edwards.

Harry Draper left for Jasonville, Ind., where he has gone to work.

R. Sidenius, of Hartford, was here last Wednesday.

Messrs. Keown and Dunlap, of Hartford, were here on business last Thursday.

Ed Jones left for Linton, Ind., last Thursday to stay over holidays.

Mrs. Ed Jones left for Central City last Friday to stay over holidays.

Miss Lucy Doss went to Central City last Friday to spend Christmas.

Police Judge L. Francis and E. S. Reed left for Herrin, Ill., last Friday to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Tinsley and family went to Centertown last Saturday to spend Christmas.

Miss Carrie Rell went to Central City and Cleaton last Saturday to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Boone went to Echols last Saturday.

John T. Main came home from Island last Saturday to spend Christmas with his family.

Miss Rosabel Cobb came up from Island last Saturday to be the guest of her cousin, Mrs. F. E. Harris, for a while.

Prof. and Mrs. V. M. Moseley went to Pellville last Saturday to spend the holidays.

Edwin J. Henry, of Louisville, Ky., spent Christmas with Simon Stephens.

Miss Ida Snell went to Horton last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardin Burden went to Horton last Sunday.

Mrs. Jno. S. Spence and Mrs. H. W. Jones and Mrs. P. K. Salsburg were in Beaver Dam yesterday.

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Geo. Lyons, of Louisville, was here to-day.

W. J. Selger, of Evansville, was here on business to-day.

Chester Keown, of Hartford, was here to-day.

Hosea Fulkerson, of Jasonville, Ind., is the guest of his father, J. A. Fulkerson.

Mrs. J. F. Hocker is visiting in Leitchfield.

The mines here now have a good supply of water to run them for two months for their day and night run on account of the rain we had yesterday and last night. It was badly needed.

SALEM.

Dec. 28.—The Christmas tree given by the Sunday School was appreciated very much.

Johnnie Dankford and Bill Christian spent Christmas at McHenry Mines.

D. C. Wilson went to Tennessee last Saturday.

Mrs. Phieby Christian and Mrs. Sarah Christian spent last Wednesday with their friend, Mrs. Sarah Acton, at Horse Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Estill Raley and little daughter, Golda, were the guests of Mrs. Raley's sister, Mrs. Mary White, Saturday.

J. W. Daniel and family, of Narrows, who have been visiting friends and relatives near this place for the past few days, returned home to-day.

Mrs. Lillie Wilson visited her father, Mr. Wm. White, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Boyd visited Mrs. Boyd's mother, Mrs. C. V. Christian, who has been on the sick list, Monday night.

Thomas Raley and family were the guests of Mrs. Raley's brother, Wm. Owens, Sunday night.

Mrs. Barbara Ann Heavrin, who is in her eighty-seventh year, is quite feeble.

Miss Debbie White, who was seventy-four, died last Saturday night at the home of her nephew, Spurgeon Foster. Her remains were laid to rest in the Salem burying ground Monday.

A. B. Pierce, who has had typhoid fever for seven weeks, died Saturday. Mr. Pierce leaves a wife and three little children and a host of friends and relatives to mourn his loss. His remains were laid to rest at the McCord burying ground by the side of his child.

Henry Owens and wife made a pleasant call at S. M. Wilson's this afternoon.

Jas. Bradley and little son Frank, of Helotes, Tenn., visited friends and relatives at Rosine and near this place last week. They returned home Friday.

Miss Flora St. Clair, of Rosine, is the guest of her uncle, Robert Myers.

Elvis Magan began Monday to finish teaching our school, which Miss Lou Hoover has been teaching. Miss Lou has gone to Warren, Oklahoma, where she will teach a spring term.

Mr. Sam Jamison and family are visiting Mrs. Jamison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wess Raley this week.

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NOCREEK.

Dec. 28.—Mr. Archie Foster has gone to Owensboro to be treated by a specialist for hair lip, the operation was performed by Dr. J. C. Hoover, one of Ohio county's late citizens.

There was a surprise party at Mr. Lon Stevens last night.

David Moreland and I. P. Foster have gone to Beaver Dam to-day with their hogs.

Mr. H. Ward expects to move into his new home soon.

Mr. J. B. Ward is moving to his farm he bought from W. F. Stevens. Chamberlain and Stevens are expecting to run a raft of logs soon.

Andy Rowan who has been sick is improving.

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Compliments of the Season

This week closes another year and brings us again the pleasure of greeting the general public with our compliments and very best wishes for the new year to come. And before turning this new leaf in life's recording register our thoughts dwell in grateful appreciation upon those friends who have been constant and loyal customers, also to any who have in any way contributed to our growth and prosperity. We offer our sincere thanks to you for your confidence and good will so generously bestowed and trust our satisfactory dealings of the past may be perpetuated for years to come. And to you who are not acquainted with us and our manner of successfully serving the public, we extend a very cordial invitation to begin with us early in the New Year and give us your confidence and allow us to supply your needs for one year, and we believe you will be our customer for the remaining years to come.

May this greeting find you enjoying the comforts and luxuries of the holiday season, and we trust the New Year of 1905 will bring to you success and happiness. Hoping to make many new customers, and again thanking the old for their most liberal patronage, we extend to you all our cordial good wishes.

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